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<b>REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>	Attorney Docket No.	1619.1016	
	Application Number	10/028,423	
	Filing Date	December 28, 2001	
	First Named Inventor	Jun IBUKI, et al.	
	Group Art Unit	2163	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	120.00	Examiner Name	Cheryl M. SHECHTMAN

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 12/08/04)					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	45	- 67 =	0	X \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 4 =	0	X \$ 200.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of <u>October 12, 2006</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months					120.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$500.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$130.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 120.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 120.00

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".  
(2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".  
(4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".  
(5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☒ Check enclosed as payment.  
☐ Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.  
☐ No payment is enclosed.

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

- ☒ If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:
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| Deposit Account No.  | 19-3935            |
| Deposit Account Name | STAAS & HALSEY LLP |
- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

Typed Name	Paul W. Bobowiec	Reg. No.	47,431
Signature	<i>Paul W. Bobowiec</i>	Date	<i>November 13, 2006</i>



RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2163  
Docket No.: 1619.1016

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Jun IBUKI, et al.

Serial No. 10/028,423

Group Art Unit: 2163

Confirmation No. 4360

Filed: December 28, 2001

Examiner: Cheryl M. SHECHTMAN

For: QUERIES-AND-RESPONSES PROCESSING METHOD, QUERIES-AND-RESPONSES  
PROCESSING PROGRAM, QUERIES-AND-RESPONSES PROCESSING PROGRAM  
RECORDING MEDIUM, AND QUERIES-AND-RESPONSES PROCESSING  
APPARATUS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on October 12, 2006. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to November 13, 2006 (November 12, 2006 being a Sunday).

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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